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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Sharon T. Wong-Madden

Application No.: 10/003,136

Group No.: 1652

Filed: 11/15/2001

Examiner: Fronda, C.

For: Isolation and Composition of Novel Glycosidases

**RESPONSE UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
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1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.116) for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for two months:

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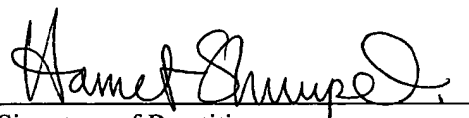
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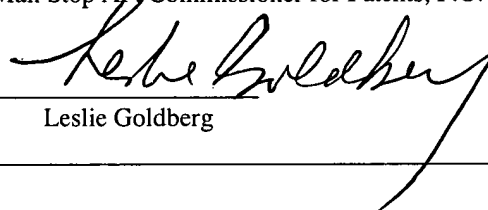
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In response to the Office Action mailed December 2, 2003, Applicants wish to amend the Application as indicated in the Claim section of the response, which begins on page 2. Please cancel Claim 9. The Remarks and Conclusion sections of the response begin on pages 3 and 4, respectively, of the response.